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CASTLES IN THE AIR

With the veil of high school nearly raised, we, the seniors of 1941, are reminiscing the events of the past twelve years--events both joyous and trying which have crept into our list of memories.

Distinctly, come to us, the mingled feelings we have had as we progressed along the road of learning. Everything, from our first recess to our last Physics test, has found a place in our train of thought.

Now, along with our satisfaction of receiving the title graduate, there looms before us the question of the future--a future that will lead us to success.

If our ideals are placed on the highest peak, if our dreams of attainment are among the clouds, and our abilities are cultivated to their fullest, accomplishment will be close at hand. All that is necessary, to make our visions come true, is the appliance of ourselves to the task.

And so, not hesitantly but with confidence, we step, from the role of graduate, into the future. Knowing our apportunities to be large, varied, and inviting, we strive ever to reach the perfection of our "castles in the air."

--JEAN RHEUBOTTOM
Retiring-Editor

STAFF SUMMARY

The eventful day in the lives of the Senior's of '41 has finally appeared. In schools all over the land, students will be leaving the doors which have sheltered them for twelve years and entering the new activities which will surround them. As one of those students, I wish to comment on one of the activities which I have enjoyed immensely during the past few years--the "Waka-Hi-Lites".

There have been many headaches, etc., connected with this activity--but all those on the staff have shared the wonderful experience of putting the paper out on the set date--without any errors!

There have been many interesting additions to the paper this year. A few of them are: "Vocabulettes", "As Sheets sees it" and "Movie Review".

Again this year the Waka-Hi-Lites was credited with an "A" rating. Phyllis Scherer was awarded a prize for her column "Vocabulettes".

The staff has worked many long hours, and put forth much effort this year and they truly deserve to be complimented. The new staff has filled the positions formerly held by the Seniors very capably and has put out two fine papers already this year. They are off to a fine start for next fall. In the behalf of the Seniors, I wish them all the luck and good fortune that is necessary for putting out a finer and better "Waka-Hi-Lites".

We hope you, the readers, will continue to read and enjoy our paper as much as we, the students, enjoy producing it for you.

Lois Jane Stump

FACULTY

NEW STAFF

SENIOR STAFF

BITS ABOUT 'EM

Opal Barkey	"Ope"	Physics
Ruth Bigler	"Ruthie"	Dates
Lowell Blosser	"Ike"	Dating out of town girls
Virgil Bollman	"Lefty"	Listening to the radio
Wilbur Bollman	"Mosey"	Drawing
Willis Carpenter	"Bill"	Getting embarrassed
Betty Eicher	"Betsey"	Playing piano
Robert Fisher	"Fisher"	Eating candy
Glenn Flickinger	"Flick"	Walking on stilts
Joan Fred	"Joan"	Driving Jim's car
Mary Gerber	"Rosie"	Hunting pleasure
Virginia V. Hahn	"Jinny"	Like someone without competition
Paul Hartman	"Hartman"	Playing Basket Ball
Doris Hiesman	"Doris"	Music
Ruth E. Holdeman	"Mabel"	G tting letters
Lloyd Hoover	"Hoover"	Minding his own business
Elnor Housour	"Elnor"	Charlie
Wilma Kilmer	"Wilma"	Bicycling
Mervin Lichtner	"Merv"	Ping Pong
Paul Lehman	"Tick"	Being Onery
Gloria Lienhart	"Bertha"	Watching Contral games
Harriet Lienhart	"Harriet"	Dating Bremen boys
Marine Loucks	"Joy"	Wandering
Willis Loucks	"Willie"	Talking to girls
Grace Marks	"Gracie"	Reading
Thelma McGowen	"Mickey"	Blushing
Elwood McGuire	"Elmer"	Smoking

Calvin Metzger	"Cal"	Driving
Kenneth Miller	"Kenny"	Typist
Junior Musselman	"Junie"	Going to Cromwell
Manford Nusbaum	"Nusy"	Running Around
Mary Nusbaum	"Mare"	Physics
Marilyn Penney	"Penney"	Having a good time
Paul Pippenger	"Pip"	Building Model Airplanes
Arlene Pletcher	"Arlene"	Marrying Lester
Virgil Reynolds	"Virg"	Drawing
Mary Jean Rheubottom	"Rheubot"	Staff work
Carol Risser	"Risser"	Wasting valuable time
Joan Rohrer	"Jo"	Getting letters from Ft. Wayne
Rebecca Ann Rohrer	"Becky"	Michigan
Opal Roose	"Ope"	Going to Goshen on Sunday night
Steven Schmucker	"Steve"	Going with girls
Beulah Schwalm	"Beu"	Beauty Culture
Elizabeth Smeltzer	"Liz"	Double Dating
Florence Stauffer	"Flossie"	Chewing gum
Glenn Stealy	"Stealy"	Mechanic Work
Arthur Stickel	"Art"	Monkey with Machinery
Ruth Stickel	"Ruthie"	Driving
Lois Jane Stump	"Loie"	Cartooning
Arthur Tharp	"O.J."	Acting stubborn
Earl Thews	"Thews"	Getting red in the face
Dale Weldy	"Weldy"	Going East
Merl Weldy	"Squirrel"	Dating Clara
Beatrice Wenger	"Beadie"	Trying to act like Bernice
Bernice Wenger	"Bunnie"	Trying to act like Beatrice
Merl Whitman	"Sheep"	Asking crazy questions
Lowell Wise	"Wise"	Driving with Calvin
Robert Wisler	"Bob"	Sports

SENIOR FAREWELL

Farewell, dear old school we're now leaving your door,
To pass on in the world as the Seniors before.
Now please don't cry too hard or sniffle too long,
'Cause there'll be more Seniors to help sing the song.

We had a little fun and had a nice time,
(We had to say this to complete our rhyme)
But just look at the chances we had to pass by,
When along oame a teacherand happened to spy.

When we entered as "Freshies" we were so green
That the way we acted was sure to be seen.
We had a class party but it was such a flop
That the teachers decided we had better stop.

Well, we finally were Sophomores with plenty of vigor,
And thought we were smart because we were bigger.
We had a few more parties, but we didn't do any more
Than just continue on, the same as we had before.

The Junior year came, with a leap and a bound
And the banquet and play came rolling around.
The rings also came which brought the old time thrill
When you kept it yourself or gave it to Bill.

Now we are Seniors and our school days are no more,
Our studies are over and we laugh as before,
But just don't forget when you return in the fall
That we did like our old school in spite of it all.

--VIRGINIA HAHN

CLASS MOTTO:
NOT EVENING BUT DAWN

CLASS FLOWER:
RED ROSE

Opal Barkey
Hubert Nixer
Dean Hinebaugh
Betts Graber
Arthur Harp
Ruth Seibel
Willis Carpenter
Lowell D. Blosser
Opal Moore
Calvin Metzger
Gloria Weimer
Paul Lehrman
Junior Moffett
Marie Houston
Olive Mary
Earl Howe
Mary Rusbaum
Robert Fisher
Maxine Cowles
Virgil Bollman
Helen McDown
Naomi Hintz
Glenn Fickinger
Walt Hudeman
Steven Schmucker
Florence Strausser
Dorothy Freeman
Virgil Reynolds
President
Paul Herrman
Harriet Guenhart
Lloyd Hooter
Virginia Hahn
Carl Fisher
Deanna Hinger
Lowell Wise
Arthur Seibel
Manford Rusbaum
Dwight Schaulin
Dale Hicks
Dean Fohrer
Kenneth Miller
Rebecca Von Fohrer
Elizabeth Smeltzer
Grace Marks
Marvin Leshlidner
Mary Mielsmann
C. O. Gartner
Principal
Glenn E. Fohrer
Class Adviser
Paul Reisinger
Arthur Dallman
Milne Bimer
Glenna McGuire
Ruth Baker

TRIPS

The Indians of the graduating class of "41", as a group, first ventured from their native village on January 28, 1941. Forty-three young braves and squaws started out from Wakarusa about 4:30 one morning. They were accompanied by their chieftain, Mr. Rohrer, Miss Werntz, and several other native Indians. They saddled up the Mose Yoder bus, cars belonging to Mr. Rohrer, Harry Holdeman, and Calvin Leinhart and then headed for Indianapolis.

When the tribe reached Peru some of the group declared they were so hungry that they would scalp some "palefaco" if they weren't allowed to stop and eat breakfast. So they stopped and after a short time they were galloping down the trail at full speed.

The Indians invaded the strange city of Indianapolis at 9:30 and headed straight for the capitol building. There they visitad the Representative Assembley, Senate, and also saw Governor Henry Schricker. After that they headed for the Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument, the tallest thing that the young Indians had ever set eyes upon. The young braves and squaws were hungry again so they hunted up something to eat. At 2:00 they "hit the trail" and headed for the Riley Hospital. After spending a time there, they went to the World War Memorial, one of the most beautiful buildings in the world.

After A "heap big day" the group was again in the saddle and headed for home. They stoppod at Peru for a little while but were soon on their way. About 9:00 they welcomed the sight of their native village afterspending an exciting and enjoyable day on the trail.

Again on Monday Afternoon April 14, about twenty nine of the tribe saddled up and headed for Elkhart to see the Elkhart Truth being printed. The rest of the group were not allowed to go until the next day because too many Indians in one place make "heap too much redskin to make paleface feel comfortable." Both groups however spent an interesting, educational, and enjoyable afternoon watching the paper as it was being printed. This wasthe last time the Indians of the graduating class of "41", as a group "hit the trail" and headed for some other distant village.

Thelma McGowen

PLAYS GIVEN BY CLASS OF '41

The play "Dotty and Daffy" was presented by the class in their Junior year. The cast consisted of the following: Hilda Johnson, a Swedish maid, Elnor Housour; Alfred Hopkins, the English butler, Robert Wisler; Molly O'Mulligan, the Irish cook, Virginia Hahn; Dorothy Travers, "Dotty," Elizabeth Smeltzer; Daphine Travers, "Daffy," Marilyn Penney; Jimmie Rand, a collegian in love with Dotty, Willis Loucks; Freddie Rand, in love with Daffy, Virgil Reynolds; Mrs. Phyllis Travers, an impetuous widow, Gloria Lienhart; Paxton Belmont, a rich widower, Steven Smucker; Aunt Hester Harley, who hates men, Lois Jane Stump; Jack Belmont, Paxton's son, Paul Lehman; Hugh Rand, uncle of Jimmie and Freddie, Max Gerber.

This year the Senior Class presented the play "Simple Simon Simple." The cast was as follows; Simon Simple, an inventor, Virgil Reynolds; Sophie Simple, his wife, Lois Stump; Stella Simple, his daughter, Joan Rohrer; Sammy Simple, his son, Willis Loucks; Sally Ann, maid at the Simples, Elizabeth Smeltzer; Minerva Webb, who boarded at the Simples, Gloria Lienhart; Hazel Hawkins, Sammy's fiancée, Rebecca Rohrer; Thankful Barlow, who runs the Hotel Elité, Steven Schmucker; Elwood Elkins, just back from the city, Robert Wisler; Dorothea Ducksworth, from the city, Ruth Holdeman.

The Junior Play was about a pair of two pretty daughters who disguised themselves in order to help their mother catch a husband. They were assisted by their fiances, who usually spoiled the game. Nothing but the arrival of their jilted uncle straightened out their mothers love affairs. The Senior Play was about the "Simple" family who lived in a small town. Simon drove his wife's patience to the uttermost by tinkering with his so called inventions. Finally he hit upon a new kind of instantaneous water-heater and he proved to be not quite so "simple" as folks believed him to be.

--Joan Rohrer

PERSONALS

Opal Barkey--Activities: Girl Reserves 2,3,4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2; Operetta 3; Offices: Sec. of Girl Reserve 4; Awards: Pin in Girl Reserve and Sweater in Glee Club.

Ruth Bixler--Activities: Girl Reserve 2; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 2,3; Operetta 3; Awards: Sweater in Glee Club.

Lowell Blosser--Activities: Hi-Y 2,3,4; Basket Ball 1,2,3,4; Student Council 1; Offices: Seargant of Arms 4; Awards: Sweater, jacket, numerals, and a coveted award in Athletics, pin in Hi-Y.

Virgil Bollman--Activities: Hi-Y 4; Basket Ball 2,3,4; Track 1,2, 3,4; Soft Ball 2; Awards: Letter in Hi-Y; Letters in Basket Ball.

Wilber Bollman--Activities: Booster Club 1,3; Hi-Y 4; Soft Ball 3,4; Awards: Letter in Hi-Y.

Willis Carpenter--Activities: 4H 3,4; Award: Letter in 4H.

Bette Eicher--Activities: Booster Club 2,3,4; Staff 1,2,3,4; Camp Fire Girls 1; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Operetta 3,4; Offices: Pres. of Camp Fire 1; Awards: Pin in Glee Club; Sweater in Staff; Sweater in Band.

Robert Fisher--Activities: Booster Club 1,2,3,4; 4H 1,2,3,4; Award: Letter in 4H.

Glenn Flickinger--Activities: Booster Club 2,3,4; 4H 2,3,4; Staff 2,3; Student Council 3,4; Offices: Vice Pres. in Student Council 4; Senior Class Seargant of Arms; Awards: Letter in 4H; Letter in Student Council.

Joan Freed--Activities: Booster Club 3,4; Staff 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 2,3,4; Operetta 3,4; Awards: Sweater in Staff; Pin in Glee Club.

Max Gerber--Activities: Boy Soouts 1,2,3,4; 4H 1,2,3,4; Band 1, 2,3,4; Special Solo and Quartet Work 1,2,3; Basket Ball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 2,3; Soft Ball 3,4; Track 1,2; Jr. Class Play; Offices: Vice Pres. of Sophomore and Senior Class; B.B. Captain Senior; Awards: Numerals, letter, jacket, coveted award and Sportsmanship award in Basket Ball; Letter in 4H.

Virginia Hahn--Activities: Booster Club 1,2,3,4; 4H 1; Staff 3,4; Camp Fire Girls 1; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 2,3; Assistant librarian 1,2; Operetta 3,4; Jr. Class Play; Offices: Vice President of Camp Fire Girls, Freshman; Class News Reporter 1,2,3; Student Director for Operetta Senior; Awards: Sweater in Glee Club and Pin in Staff.

Paul Hartman--Activities: Hi-Y 3,4; Student Council 4; Offices: Sargeant of Arms for Student Council, Senior; Awards: Letter in Hi-Y and letter in Student Council.

Doris Hirsman--Activities: Booster Club 4; Staff 2,3,4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 3; Operetta Chorus 3,4; Offices: Secretary of Class, One half of Sophomore year, 3,4; Sec. & Treas. of Glee Club 4; Awards: Sweater in Staff; Pin in Glee Club.

Ruth Holdeman--Activities: Booster Club 1,2,3,4; Staff 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Opetetta 3,4; Sr. Class Play; Awards: Staff sweater; Pin in Glee Club; Band sweater

Lloyd Hoover--Activities: Ping Pong, Senior.

Elnor Housour--Activities: Booster Club 2,3,4; Girl Reserve 3,4; Student Council 4; Band 1; Jr. Class Play; Librarian 4; Awards: Letter in Student Council.

Wilma Kilmer--Activities: Girl Reserve, Senior.

Mervin Lechlitner--Activities: 4H 2,3,4.

PERSONALS
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Paul Lehman--Activities: Booster Club 2,3,4; Hi-Y 2,3,4; Cast Iron 6 x-1; Basket Ball 1,2,3,4; Offices: President of Hi-Y 4; Class Sargeant of Arms 3; Awards: Pin and letter in Hi-Y; Letters in Basket Ball.

Gloria Lienhart--Activities: Booster Club 1,2,3,4; Staff 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 2,3; Band 1,2,3,4; Cheer Leader 1,2,3,4; Jr. and Sr. Class Play; Operetta 3,4; Awards: Staff Sweater; Sweater in Glee Club; B.B. necklace and jacket for Cheer leading; Sweater in Band.

Harriet Lienhart--Activities: Booster Club 1,2,3.4; Girl Reserves 2,3,4; 4H 1; Offices: 4H Cheer leader 1.

Maxine Loucks--Activities: 4H 1,2; Staff 2,3,4; Offices: 4H News Reporter 2.

Willis Loucks--Activities: Booster Club 3,4; 4H 1,2,3,4; Student Council 1; Boys Glee Club 3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 4; Junior and Senior Class Play; Operetta 4; Valedictorian of Senior Class; Offices: Treas. of Booster Club 4; Sec. of 4H 3,4; Sec.-Treas. of Class 1,2; Treasury of Class 3,4; Awards: Letters and Sweater for Scholarship; Letter in 4H; Winner of Special Merit Scholorship to Purdue University.

Grace Marks--Activities: Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 3; Awards: Glee Club Sweater.

Thelma McGowen--Activities: 4H 1; Staff 2,3,4; Glee Club 1,3,4; Operetta 3; Awards: Pin in Staff; Pin in Glee Club.

Elwood McGuire--Activities: Usher for Junior and Senior Class Plays.

Calvin Metzger--Activities: Booster Club 1,2,3,4; Hi-Y 2,3,4; Boys Glee Club 2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,4; Awards: Letter in HiY.

Kenneth Miller--Activities: Assistant Student Librarian.

Junior Mullet--Activities: Basket Ball 3; Soft Ball 3; Track 3.

Manford Nusbaum--Activities: Boys Glee Club 2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 4; Band 2,3,4; Awards: Band Sweater.

Mary Nusbaum--Activities: Girl Reserves 2,3,4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 3,4; Offices: Vice-Pres. of Girl Reserve 3; President of Girl Reserve 4; Awards: Pin in Girl Reserve; Girl Reserve Plaque; Sweater in Glee Club.

Marilyn Penney--Activities: Booster Club 2,3,4; Staff 1,2,3,4; Campfire Girls 1; Glee Club 2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 2; Band 1,2,3,4; Jr. Class Play; Operetta 3,4; Awards: Staff Sweater; Pin in Glee Club; Sweater in Band.

Paul Pippenger--Activities: Booster Club 2,3,4; 4H 1,2,3,4.

Arlene Pletcher--Activities: Girl Reserves 2,3,4; 4H 1.

Virgil Reynolds--Activities: Booster Club 3,4; Hi-Y 3,4; Staff 4; Offices: Treasurer of Hi-Y 4; President of Class 1,2,3,4; Junior and Senior Class Play; Salutatorian of Senior Class; Awards: Scholarship letter and sweater; Letter in Hi-Y.

Joan Rheubottom--Activities: Booster Club 1,2,3,4; Staff 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 2,3; Band 1,2,3,4; Operetta 3,4; Offices: Pres. of Booster Club 4; President of Glee Club 4; Editor of Paper 3,4; Awards: Sweater in Staff; Sweater in Glee Club; Band Sweater; D.A.R. Award.

Carol Risser--Activities: 4H 1,2.

Joan Rohrer--Activities: 4H 1; Staff 2,3,4; Student Council 1; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Senior Class Play; Awards: Sweater in Glee Club; Pin in Staff.

PERSONALS
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Rebecca Rohrer--Activities: Booster Club 1,2,3,4; Girl Reserves One half of Junior year, 4; Staff 1,2,3; Student Council 1,2; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Drum Major 1,2,3,4; Cheer Leader 1,2,3,4; Flag Twirler 3,4; Senior Class Play; Operetta 3,4; Offices: Vice-Pres. of Girl Reserve; Awards: Sweater in Glee Club; Sweater in Band; Studnet Council letter; B.B. necklace and jacket for cheer leading.

Opal Roose--Activities: Girl Reserves 2,3,4; 4H1; Student Council 3.

Steven Schmucker--Activities: Booster Club 1,2,3,4; 4H 1,2,3,4; Staff 2,3,4; Student Council 3,4; Cast Iron 6 x-4; Junior and Senior Class Play; Offices: Treas. of 4H 4; President of Student Council 4; Vice President of Class 3; Awards: Sweater in Staff; Letter in Student Council.

Beaulah Schwalm--Activities: 4H 1,2; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 2,3; Band 2; Librarian 4; Operetta 3; Award: Sweater in Glee Club.

Elizabeth Smeltzer--Activities: BoosterClub 1,2,3,4; Girl Reserves 2,3,4; Staff 1; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 2,3,4; Operetta 4; Junior and Senior Class Play; Offices: Sec.-Treas. of Girl Reserves ; Awards: Plaque in Girl Reserve; Sweater in Glee Club.

Florence Stauffer--Activities: Girl Reserves 3,4.

Glenn Stealy--Activities: Boys Glee Club 3,4; Mixed Chorus 4; Operetta 4.

Arthur Stickel--Activities: 4H 2,3,4; Awards: Letter in 4H.

Ruth Stickel--Activities: Booster Club 1,2,3,4; Girl Reserves 3,4; Glee Club 1; Offices: Secretary of home room section.

Lois Stump--Activities: Staff 2,3,4; Student Council 2; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 2,3,4; Operetta 3,4; Junior and Senior Class Play; Awards: Sweater in Staff; Sweater in Glee Club.

Arthur Tharp--Activities: Booster Club 1; 4H 1,2,3,4; Cast Iron 6 x-2; Basket Ball 1,2,3,4; Soft Ball 3; Offices: Vice President of 4H 4; Awards: Numerals and letter in Basket Ball.

Earl Thews--Activities: Boy Scouts 1,2; Staff 2; Boys Glee Club 4; Mixed Chorus 4; Basket Ball 1,2,3; Awards: Numerals in Basket Ball.

Dale Weldy--Activities: BoosterClub 3,4; 4H 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,4; Award: Letter in 4H.

Mearl Weldy--Activities: 4H 1,2,3,4; Boys Glee Club 2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 4; Operetta 4; Awards: Letter in 4H.

Beatrice Wenger--Activities: BoosterClub 2; GirlReserves, One half of Junior Year, 4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 2; Band 1,2,3,4; Chorus for Operetta 3,4; Awards: Pin in Staff; Sweater in Glee Club; Sweater for Band.

Bernice Wenger--Activities: Girl Reserves, One half Junior Year; Staff, One half Junior Year, 4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Booster Club 2; Band 1,2,3,4; Operetta Chorus 3,4; Awards: Sweater in Band; Sweater in Glee Club; Pin in Staff.

Merel Whiteman--Activities: Hi-Y 3,4; Awards: Letter in Hi-Y; Letter in Debate.

Lowell Wise--Activities: Hi-Y 2,3,4; Boys Glee Club 2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 2,3,4; Operetta Chorus 4; Awards: Letter in Hi-Y.

Robert Wisler--Activities: 4H 1,2,3,4; Junior Class Play; Senior Class Play; Awards: Letter in 4H.

Ride 'em Cowboy!

Award Winners

Keep off the Grass

"We Three"

Batter Up!

"Flick" and "Flossie"

"Cast Iron Six"

The long and short of it

BACCALAUREATE
April 27, 1941

Processional- - - - - -Marian Neff
Hymn- - - - "Faith of Our Fathers"
Invocation- - - Rev. Gordon Kemble
"Crossing the Bar"- -Joseph Barnby
Mixed Chorus
Scripture Reading- - - Rev. Geiger
Solo- - - - - - - - -Wallace Stump
"Christ Went Into the Hills"-Hageman
Sermon- -"For Such A Time As This"
Prof. J. O. Winger
Manchester College
"Ole Arks A Moverin'"- - Spiritual
"Legend"- - - - - - - Tschaikowsky
Mixed Chorus
Benediction

COMMENCEMENT
May 1, 1941

Piano Prelude- - - - - Marian Neff
Invocation- - - -Rev. E. E. Lawshe
Music- - - - - - - - - Boys' Quartet
"Shadow March"---Cain
"Come To Me In My Dreams"---Cain
Address- - - - - -E. A. Richardson
Music- - - - - - - -Girls' Quartet
"Prayer Perfect"---Stenson
"Neapolitan Nights"---Zamecnik
Presentation of Diplomas-Ora Strycker
Co. Supt. of Schools
Presentation of American Legion
Awards
Music Solo- - - - - -Wallace Stump
"Homing"---Del Riego
Benediction Rev. Gordon Kemble

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SALUTATORY

On behalf of the graduating class of 1941 of the Wakarusa High School, I take great pleasure in greeting you. We welcome you here, tonight, and we hope you will feel repaid for coming, if no more than by the knowledge that we feel highly honored by your interest and presence.

We ask that you will be lenient and not expect too much of us. Please let your mind run back to the time when you were just our ages, and looking forward expectantly, eagerly, and perhaps half fearfully, to see what life hold for you. We, too, are doing that very thing now.

We hope that our ambitions may be realized, and that we shall not be discouraged by the disappointments bound to confront us along the pathway of life. We trust that, looking at the examples you have set for us of splendid citizenship, high courage, real achievement, and integrity and progressiveness, we too shall reach the estate of manhood and womanhood prepared to do for others what you have done so well for us.

It has been, and will continue to be, a source of great inspiration to us that you have been so genuinely interested in our progress from month to month, and year to year, and that you still care enough to come here at this time and see for yourselves the completion of our work, and our preparation to commence larger undertakings. Because you care, we shall try to prove ourselves worthy of your continued interest and affection. We hope that some day we shall build records of which you and the old school we have known and loved so long, shall be proud.

The class of "41" salutes you.

Virgil Reynolds

Senior Class History

This is a topical survey of the graduating class of 1941, in whose honor you are assembled.

Its component parts are fifty-eight young men and women, ranging from average to super.

All have belonged since their entrance on the first Tuesday following Labor Day in the year 1937.

Twenty nine of its component parts are handsome and gallant, twenty nine are charming and demure. From its combined height of over 350 feet it can look into the 25th story of the Empire State Building.

Its combined weight is six thousand eight hundred and ninety pounds. Surely enough weight to anchor its feet in wearisome work, even if its head is in the clouds.

In September nineteen hundred and thirty seven, seventy two Freshmen enrolled with Mr. Freed and Miss Wartsler as sponsors; Virgil Reynolds, president; Merit Loucks, Vice president; Willis Loucks, secretary and treasurer. During each semester we had two parties.

In September nineteen hundred and thirty eight, we as Sophomores, enrolled with sixty seven members, six dropping by the wayside. Two worthy leaders, Miss Searer and Miss Werntz, served as our sponsors during the year with Virgil Reynolds, president; Max Gerber, vice president; Willis Loucks, secretary and treasurer. We chose blue and rose as our class colors. Our pennant was put among the others in the gymnasium.

A very busy year was experienced by all in our Junior stop. In order to give the seniors a big feed and a good time at the Junior and Senior banquet, twelve members of the Junior class presented a play "Dotty and Daffy." April, twelfth, we put on a banquet, in the Bronzewood room of Hotel LaSalle, in South Bend. The social side of our Junior year is worthy of mention. We were allowed to have two skating parties at Goshen, in the last semester.

The class officers were Virgil Reynolds, president Steven Schmucker, vice president; Doris Hirseman, secretary; Willis Loucks, treasurer, with Mr. Rohrer, as sponsor.

At last we became seniors, fifty eight in all, the largest class in history to graduate from this school. We elected as our class officers Virgil Reynolds, president; Max Gerber, Vice President; Doris Hirseman, secretary; Willis Loucks, treasurer, with Mr. Rohrer as sponsor.

The play "Simple Simon Simple," was presented in November.

We chose as our class flower the American Beauty Rose and our class motto "Not evening, but dawn." But now our high school life is nearly over. We must leave our school and give our place to others. We are closing a chapter in our life history which probably will be the happiest chapter in the story. We wish to thank our teachers and parents for making it happy and profitable and for their kindness, encouragement, and helpfulness.

Ruth Stickel and Mary Nusbaum

A Wonder of Spring

On days when spring is young and gay,
My thoughts aren't forced to go away
But wander into another realm
Without me, the pilot, at their healm.
Far, far away sounds the teachers phrase:
I hear that much, even, through my daze.
And now my mind is sound asleep
And many are the dreams which in it creep--
Such as building castles in the air--
The calf or pig I'm raising for the fair.
Then suddenly out of the deep, deep, deep,
My teacher's voice wakens me with a sweep
And snatches me back to my natural realm
With me, the pilot, at the healm.

Merel M. Whiteman

WHAT IS AMERICA?

We often hear the remark, "What is America?" If I could have my way, I would say to the man in New York, "Come with me, and I will show you America," and I would say to the man in San Francisco, "Come with me, and I will show you America."

I would show him the physical America, so that he might have an admiration, not only of its strength, of its resources, of what it could do against the world, but that he might have pride in this as a land of hope, and a land in which men have won out.

I would say to him, "America is an unfinished land. Its posibilities will never end, and your chance here and the chances of your children will always be in ratio to your zeal and ambition."

I would have that man see America from the reindeer ranges of Alaska to the Everglades of Florida. I would make him realize that we have within our soil every raw product essential to the conduct of our industry.

And I should like to give to that man a knowledge of America that would cause him to ask, "How did this come to be?" And then he would discover that there was something more to our country than its material strength.

It has history and it has tradition.'

And then I would say, "Grasp the meaning of what I have shown you and you will know then what Americanism is. It is not 130 million people alone. It is 130 million people who have lived through struggle and who have won through work. Let us never forget that we are what we are because we have accomplished."

Our conclusion, then, will be that America is not a creed, not a dream, not a theory, but a breathing, living, glowing actuality; spiritual beauty combined to render America a nation glorious with accomplishments past, but more glorious still because of her shining future yet unborn.

--Jean Rheubottom

SENIOR PROPHECY

This is LOIS STUMP, your news commentator, flashing the headlines on the class of 1941, which graduated from Wakarusa High School ten years ago:

Washington D. C. JEAN RHEUBOTTOM, first lady-president of the United States, has applied for a divorce from ARTHUR THARP, former heavy-weight champion. Miss Rheubottom's lawyer is ELWOOD McGUIRE, of the famous "McGuire & BLOSSER" firm.

Tallahasse, Florida. Virginia Hahn, lady evanglist, is now doing missionary work down in the everglades.

Rome, Italy. MAX GERBER, internationally-known clarinetest, has given up his career to manage a restaurant in a near-by city of Rome.

Ft. Wayne, Indiana. STEVEN SCHMUCKER, fire chief of this city, has announced that fire-prevention week will begin tomorrow.

Columbus, Ohio. It was disclosed today that the "Okay Oil Co." has another new owner. The ownership has changed three times in the past week, but the present proprietor, CALVIN METZGER, said he believes that he can manage the business successfully.

Indianapolis, Indiana. The "Whitcman Shrine", built in memory of MEREL WHITEMAN, Indiana's most beloved poet, will be dedicated in several weeks. It is said that this building is the most beautiful in all the world.

Chicago, Illionis. One of the features on the W. L. S. National Barn Dance Saturday night, will be CAROL RISSER, the "Sweetheart of Radio."

Detroit, Michigan. Today PAUL LEHMAN will take over the duties of Henry Ford. Mr. Lehman is thinking seriously of combining the Ford and Chevrolet cars.

Wakarusa, Indiana. The littlest man in the world, GLENN FLICKINGER, has joined FLORENCE STAUFFER'S "Freak Show".

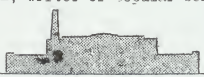
Hollywood, California. Producer ROBERT WISLER, has chosen JUNIOR MULLETT and REBECCA ROHRER as co-stars in his next movie. Bit parts will be played by RUTH STICKEL and MARILYNN PENNEY.

Baltimore, Maryland. Socialite GLORIA LIENHART, will soon undergo one of the most delicate operations ever to have been performed. Miss Lienhart states that she puts implicit faith in her surgeon, DALE WELDY.

Chicago, Illionis. VIRGIL REYNOLDS is drawing the comic strip, "Lil' Abner" because of the serious illness of Al Capp.

South Bend, Indiana. KENNETH MILLER, President of the South Bend College of Commerce, said today that there is a demand for more pretty stenographers. The BOLLMAN BROTHERS Chair Factory has just employed two of Mr. Millers students, BERNICE and BEATRICE WENGER.

Nashville, Tennessee. Mr. and Mrs. ROBERT FISHER, will entertain a number of celebrities at a house-party this week-end. Several of the guests expected are: OPAL BARKEY, the worlds best tennis player; LOWELL WISE, writer of popular songs; and WILMA KILMER,



author of the book, "How to Keep Fit." Mrs. Fisher will be better remembered as MAXINE LOUCKS, former National 4-H Club Leader.

New York, N. Y. Mayor ARTHUR STICKEL, has finally decided on a name for the baby which he found on his doorstep.

The city of Wakarusa, Indiana, has undergone several sudden changes. ELIZABETH SMELTZER, the towns only old maid, has surprised every one by announcing her engagement ot LLOYD HOOVER, a successful farmer. Principal C. J. Gerber has finally handed in his resignation and MEARL WELDY has been chosen to take his place.

St. Peters, Rome. Father WILLIS CARPENTER will be the worlds next Pope Pius, according to the votes polled today.

Green Castle, Indiana. Mrs. Robert McBrier, formerly JOAN HOK-RER, is mourning over the loss of two white rats which mysteriously disappeared out of her back yard last evening.

Chicago, Illionis. The Chicago Symphony Orchestra will soon swing into its final rehearsal for the nation-wide concert to be given tonite. The program will be sponsored by the PAUL HARTMAN Hatchery Co. The conductor of the orchestra is GLENN STEALY, and the accompanist is DORIS HIRSEMAN.

Los Angeles, California. A special attraction at the "Uptown Theater" this week will be MANFORD and MARY NUSBAUM, the famoustap-dancing team.

Ann Arbor, Michigan, RUTH HOLDEMAN, an undertaker, has enlightened the task of fellow-undertakers, by placing a new embalming fluid on the market.

New York, N. Y. Tonite at 8:00 o'clock in the Little Church around the Corner, there will be one of the largest double weddings in history. The nupitals will be preformed by the Right Rev. PAUL PIPPENGER. The two couples getting married are: ARLENE PLETCHER and Lester Hartman, RUTH BIXLER and Raymond Tyson.

Goshen, Indiana. OPAL ROOSE and BEULAH SCHWALM, who manage the "Hotel Ritz" are spending several months abroad. Mrs. Charles Conrod, formerly ELNOR HOUSOUR, is taking their place as manager.

WILLIS LOUCKS, President of Harvard University, said yesterday that everything he knows about science, he owes to Professer EARL THEWS, who coached him on the sidelines.

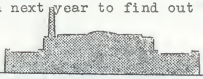
Denver, Colorado. Here is another case where a patient fell in love with his nurse. MERVIN LECHLITNER, wealthy ranch-owner, while convalecing at the St. Michels Hospital in Denver, met GRACE MARKS, head nurse, and immediately a case of "love at first sight" was developed. They are planning to be married next fall.

HARRIET LIENHART, Ambassador to England, is expected home any day to spend a short vacation here in the U. S.

Louisville, Ky. THELMA MCGOWEN, scientist, has invented an airplane that will land on the clouds.

Philadelphia, Pa. If you want your teeth fixed without any pain involved, see Dentists' JOAN FREED and BETTE EICHER. They absolutely guarrantee their work to be painless!

Listen in again next year to find out what is going on in the world.



CLASS WILL

We, the most highly honored, lauded and esteemed class that has passed or probably ever will pass from this great institution of learning, do publish this, our last will and testament.

Art. I: To our flourishing but yet unripe Freshman brothers and sisters we bequeath three years of pleasant or otherwise experience in getting a high school education.

Art. II: To that unassuming innocent bunch of Sophomores, we leave our ability to make A's in our subjects and to keep the entire faculty under nervous strain trying to keep a reasonable amount of order in the building.

Art. III: To our nearest kin, the Juniors, we leave our advice and our ability in deciding questions of great weight and also our dignity to be used in the study hall and other public places.

Art. IV: To Mr. Gerber we will 3 lbs. of appreciation done up in a gunny sack and hung on a flag pole in front of the school.

Art. V: To the faculty we extend warm thanks for their hearty cooperation in all our problems and express our sorrow because no longer will they be able to teach such a brilliant class, but will have to be content with this unintelligent group of Juniors.

Art. VI: At this point we wish to endow Mr. Rohrer with the task of getting Mr. Gerber's gunny sack off the flag pole and presenting it to him.

Art. VII: The following may seem but trifling bequests, but we hope they may be accepted, not as worthless things but as valuable assets to those who may receive them.

Item 1: Elwood McGuire wills to Bob Hunsberger a dozen bananas so Bob can slip through school on the peels without a pension.

Item 2: Robert Fisher bequeaths his graceful slender lines to Dean Loucks.

Item 3: Lowell Blosser, better known as "Ike" bequeaths his ability to get by with calling Miss Werntz, Matilda, to Dale Stryker.

Item 4: Jean Rheubottom wills her position as editor-in-chief to Phyllis Scherer.

Item 5: Steve Schmucker bequeaths his ability to make a little knowledge go a long way in Physics to Max Doering.

Item 6: To future class presidents, Virgil Reynolds bequeaths his ability to preside with a dignity that would do honor to a chief justice of Supreme Court.

Item 7: Virgil Bollman bequeaths his ability of being the fastest runner in track to Gilbert Wagner.

Item 8: Manford Nusbaum bequeaths his position as chief office boy to Raynond Stickle.

Item 9: Gloria Lienhart bequeaths her nickname of "Big Bertha" to Maribelle Myers.

Item 10: Rebecca Rohrer bequeaths her ability to date a Michigan boy to Blanche Sutter.

Item 11: Ruth Holdeman bequeaths her love of receiving letters to Evelyn Pippenger.

Item 12: Ruth Stickle bequeaths her "black Mustached Romeo" to anyone who wants him.

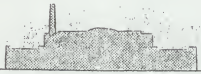
Item 13: Mary Nusbaum bequeaths her ability to stay small to Harriet Rohrer.

Item 14: Beatrice and Berniece Wenger bequeath their honor of being the only twins in High School to Arlene and Loreen Weaver.

Item 15: Virginia Hahn bequeaths her love for quicter things of life to Marjorie Wenger.

Item 16: Willis Loucks bequeaths his position as valedictorian to Winifred Hunsberger.

Item 17: Max Gerber bequeaths his ability to win the sportsmanship award to Ted Weaver.



Item 18: Florence Stauffer, better known as "Flossie," bequeaths her longing to be an old maid to Betty Morningstar.

Item 19: Mearl and Dale Weldy bequeath their ability to go steady with underclassmen to Jule Metzler and Lois Wisler.

Item 20: Marilyn Penney bequeaths her love for Nappanee boys to Mary Jean Kehr.

Item 21: Lowell Wise bequeaths his liking for riding with Cal Metzger to anyone who has a large life insurance.

Item 22: Grace Marks and Wilma Kilmer bequeath their ability to study to Fern Barkey and Betty Weaver.

Item 23: Arlene Pletcher and Opal Roose bequeath their ability to go with Hartman Brothers to Ruby Newcomer.

Item 24: Lois Stump and Thelma McGowen bequeath their love affair of Nappanee to Vivian Blosser.

Item 25: Harriet Lienhart and Elizabeth Smeltzer bequeath their ability to date Bremen boys and keep late hours to anyone who can get them.

Item 26: Beulah Schwalm and Ruth Bixler bequeath their ability to run the candy stand at noon to anyone who thinks they are efficient enough.

Item 27: Joan Freed, Bette Eicher and Doris Hirseman bequeath their staff ability to Elnor Wolfberg, Betty Denlinger and Ruby Summers.

Item 28: Joan Rohrer bequeaths her love for receiving letters from Fort Wayne to any one that answers as promptly as she does.

Item 29: To Carlysle Hunsberger we bequeath Glen Stealy's habit of spending two hours a day on his Physics lesson by sitting on his book while sleeping.

Item 30: Earl Thews bequeaths his bashfulness to Walter Bollinger.

Item 31: Glenn Flickinger bequeaths the title of being the smallest in the class to Genevia Enders.

Item 32: Art Tharp bequeaths his position of being a ladies' man to Robert Sheets.

Item 33: Wilbur Bollman bequeaths his common sense to Bill Boyce in hopes he will use it.

Item 34: To Joan Myers we bequeath Merel Whiteman's ease in using long and high-faluting impressive words.

Item 35: To Howard Wisler we bequeath Art Stickel's ability to make A's in Physics.

Item 36: To Glenn Nunemaker and Richard Metzler, Carol Risser and Maxine Loucks bequeath their good behavior.

Item 37: Kenneth Miller bequeaths his typing ability to Lenore Herr.

Item 38: Junior Mullet bequeaths his girl friends in Cromwell to anyone who can drive faster than he can.

Item 39: Willis Carpenter bequeaths his golden locks to Dean Stickel.

Item 40: Paul Lehman, better known as "Ticky," bequeaths his ability of hanging on to his Mother's apron strings to Kenny Myers.

Item 41: Mervin Lechlitner, and Lloyd Hoover bequeath their farming ability to John Wise and Glenn Null.

Item 42: Robert Wisler bequeaths his love for twins to Paul Brenneman.

Item 43: Paul Pippenger and Paul Hartman bequeath their noon basketball sportsmanship to Edward Weaver and Russel Shriner.

Art. VIII: We do hereby provide that three hours after our graduation our obituary shall be published in all the world's leading funny papers and be broadcasted over Sears, Roebuck's station during the Coo-Coo Hour.

In witness thereof we hereunto set our hands and seal this 30th day of April, 1941.

Witnesses to the publishing hereof:
Sen. G. Rohrer
Hon. Christ Wise
Elijah Hunsberger

Signed:
Opal Barkey
Elnor Housour

VALEDICTORY

Parents, teachers, classmates and friends:

There is recreation in which everyone of us has indulged. Throughout the years it has won favor with high and low. It is called "Building castles in the air."

And who, I ask you, could build to more purpose and with more reason than a group of young graduates whose plans and ambitions are worldwide in scope?--Whose future is as rosy as a sunrise in May? No one, you will answer, and since we are those same dreamers, we agree with you heartily and deeply.

Yes, we have been dreaming. Some of our dreams are too precious to tell, too monumental, too impossible for ordinary friends and relatives to digest. If you only knew our plans! If you had even the slightest hint of the golden future we anticipate! No tale of Arabian Nights could be as stupendous as the careers we have mapped out for ourselves. No Gulliver's Travels more filled with adventure and weird experiences. Only the years ahead will see our castles rising up into mists, iridescent and gleaming.

Our dreams must wait. But meanwhile we have been working. Our presence here tonight is testimony to the fact. The diplomas which we shall receive are awards for hard labor, for diligence and for persistence. It is a strange thing but castles in the air are not built by dreams but by hard industry. We have realized as much, or if we have not, our teachers have helped us do so, and so it is that we appear here tonight, graduates at the end of a long and honorable school career.

But even as we lay the foundations for those wonderful castles, there are changes appearing around us. Old ties are being broken and familiar scenes are fading before our eyes. It makes us realize, with sadness and regret, that graduation means advancement, but it also means something more: the end, more or less, of our school-day associations. That is a melancholy subject and one on which I shall not linger.

But even though we part from those whose friendship we treasure, our castles will continue to pile up. We hope we shall never lose that valuable and imaginative trait--the planning and dreaming for the future that constitutes half of one's pleasure in life. May I ask you, then, to go away from this auditorium with that one memory uppermost in your minds? May I ask you to remember us as a class of dreamers, but dreamers who act? As builders of air castles that are founded on solid achievement? If you do so, we shall be well satisfied and pleased. We shall say "Farewell" then with the realization that we have found ourselves and that our ambitions are now enshrined in your hearts and ours. That is the last wish of the class of 1941. Will you make us happy by granting it?

Willis Loucks

Looking it over

Caught off Guard

What's the Joke, Wine?

We want a touchdown!

Near the Home Stretch

Just Posing

Must be Spring!

'Nuff Said

ACTIVITIES

Debate

This year under the supervision of Miss Searer the twelve debate members studied the national debate question. Resolved: That the Federal Government should have more Power.

The debate club sprang into being way back in the year of 1931.

Since the beginning, the club has won fame for themselves and their school by bringing home honors from various debate contests.

Student Council

The Student Council is an organization that was started to help inprove the school. It is composed of two students from each class of junior and senior high school and one from each club. Mr. Gerber is the sponsor of the group.

The President for the past year was Steven Schmucker; Vice President, Glenn Flickinger; Secretary, Mary Jean Pletcher; Treasurer, Norma Marker; Sgt.-at arms, Paul Hartman; and News Reporter, Otho Maurer.

The members were entertained by the Student Council of Nappanee.

Girl Reserves

The Girl Reserves have twenty-three members. The officers are as follows: Mary Nusbaum, President; Rebecca Rohrer, Vice President; Opal Barkey, Secretary; Fern Barkey, Treasurer; Miss Searer, Sponsor.

During the year the Girl Reserves have learned to knit and have had several bake sales. On February 22, five members went to South Bend to attend the Northern Indiana Girl Reserve Conference.

Future Homemakers

The Future Homemakers club was organized two years ago under the supervision of Mrs. Weldy. The purpose of the club is to take up the different phases of home life and learn more about them.

The club meets each Monday during activity period with seventeen girls participating. They spend the period by having programs or by knitting.

Norma Marker was president and Anna Marie Weaver was vice-president during the first semester: However, Anna Marie acted as president during the second semester because Norma had other conflicts.

Boys Glee Club

Eighteen boys constitute the Boys Glee club which is sponsored by Marian Neff.

They participated in the operetta and spring concert.

A quartet composed of the following was organized: Manford Nusbaum, Mearl Weldy, Wallace Stump and Willis Loucks.

Mixed Chorus

A mixed chorus, composed of thirty voices, is directed by Marian Neff.

They furnished music on the Spring concert, at the Good Friday Services and for the commencement exercises.

Band

The Instrumental Music Department, directed by Gene Chenoweth, consists of sixty five members.

Different members participated in district and state contests. Several concerts were given during the year. The money received is to be used for the purchase of new uniforms.

A large number of the members are also in the Co. Concert and Reserve Bands.

Hi-Y Club

The Hi-Y club, sponsored by Mr. Wayne Cook, has twenty-four members.

The officers elected for the club were—President, Paul Lehman; Vice President, Donald Shank; Secretary, Paul Rich; Treasurer, Virgil Reynolds; Sgt.-at-Arms, Lowell Blosser; Student Council member, Paul Hartmen.

The Club Members have done several things during the year. They sold ice cream at several basketball games and turned the money over to the churches for the poor. They sponsored two rollar skating parties. At different times. They heard talks by various Ministers of the town.

Booster Club

This club was organized for the purpose of promoting school spirit at basket ball games.

Officers for the year were Jean Rheubottom, President; Willis Loucks, Treasure.

4-H

The 4-H club is sponsored by Mr. C. J. Gerber with a membership of thirtyseven.

The officers elected for the club this year are as follows: Ted Weaver, President; Arthur Tharp, Vice President; Willis Loucks, Secretary; Steven Schmucker, Treasurer; Sgt.-at arms, Guy Schrock.

The club has raised money during the year by selling ice cream at basketball games. This money will be used to buy awards for senior members.

One period a week is the time the club holds its meetings. During this period they give programs and have talks given by different speakers.

Sports

Basketball this year was made up of many thrills and also some disappointments. But on the whole it was a very-very interesting year. Every game was looked forward to as a new thrill. The team in the beginning of the year showed a very profitable year ahead, winning their first three games with a good margin. We lost our first game to Nappaneo, in an overtime, in which both teams showed up strong. There were many close games in the season in that up to the last minute no one could determine the victor.

Boy Scouts

The boy scouts, under the leadership of Glade Rohrer and assistants Mr. Hahn and Mr. Anglemyer, are advancing rapidly. There are 24 members, the majority of which are Freshmen and Sophomores. This year the scout troops entered the first aid contest and won honors at both Goshen and South Bend. They are planning a trip for the near future either at the Boy Scout Cabins or at one of Indiana's State Parks.

Girls Glee Club

The following are the officers: President, Jean Rhuebottom; Vice-President, Laurette Holdeman; Secy. and Treas. and Pianist, Doris Hirseman.

The Glee Club, composed of seventy-four members, is sponsored by Marian Neff.

With the addition of the Boys Glee Club, the two choruses presented the operetta "Jeanie." They also furnished numbers on the Spring Concert.

A quartet was organized, which consisted of E. Smeltzer, R. Holdeman, Va. Yoder and L. J. Stump.

To repeat the sins of another
  And overlook our own
Is a fault we oft drop into—
  Sometimes quite unbeknown.

To me the man who is really big
  Is the man who is always kind,
The man who in the sinner
  Some trace of the saint can find.

Saint or sinner, the line between
  Is oft-times as a hair,
So maybe it's up to us to help
  The man who has known despair.

Some one kind word, some single act,
  May turn a man from his sins,
For who is to say where the sinner leaves off,
  And where the saint begins?

—Jazbo of Old Dubuque

If it were not
For this short verse,
There'd be a joke here
Ten times worse.

Virgil Reynolds, the staff cartoonist, was responsible for the drawing of the cover page.

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Before I heard the doctors tell
The dangers of a kiss,
I considered kissing you
The nearest thing to bliss.

But now I know Biology
I sit and sigh and moan—
Six million mad bacteria
And I thought we were alone

* * * * *

THRILLS

Why does my heart thump so
Whenever you come near?
When I look up into your eyes
What danger do I fear?

Why do thrills of anticipation
Race up and down my spine?
Why do I tremble when your
Face bends down to mine?

Is it because you attract me,
Because I find you thrilling?
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You're about to start drilling.

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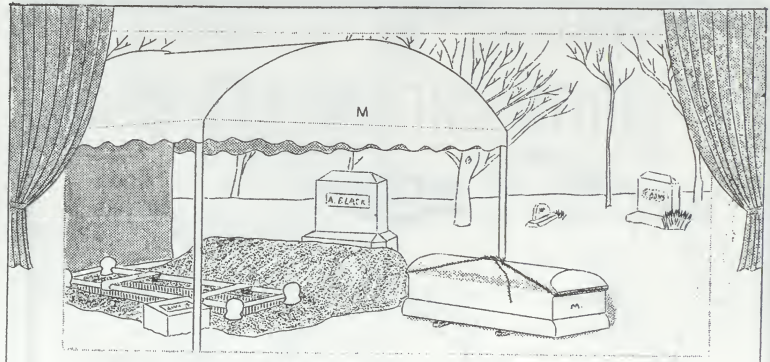

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I asked my pa a single thing—
  Where holes in doughnuts go?
Pa read his paper then he said,
  "Oh, you're too young to know."
I asked my Ma about the wind,
  "Why can't you see it blow?"
Ma thought a minute then she said,
  "Oh, you're too young to know."
Now why on earth do you suppose,
  They went and licked me so,
Maw asked, "Where is that jam?"
  I said, "Oh, you're too young to know."

—anonymous

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---anonymous

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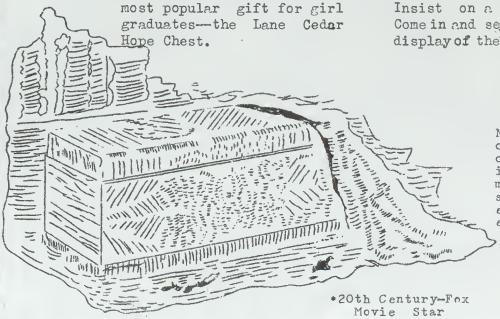

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